

**Maricopa Integrated Health Systems
Formulary Prior Auth Criteria**

Drug: DDAVP (Desmopressin)

Therapy:

- A. Central Diabetes Insipidus-** antidiuretic replacement therapy in the management of central diabetes insipidus and for the management of the temporary polyuria and polydipsia following head trauma or surgery in the pituitary region. Ineffective in the treatment of nephrogenic diabetes insipidus
- B. Primary Nocturnal Enuresis-** may be used alone or adjunctive to behavioral conditioning or other nonpharmacological intervention.

Inclusions:

A. Central Diabetes Insipidus-

See above

B. Primary Nocturnal Enuresis-

1. ≥ 6 years
2. Failure of two other medications from different classes-
 - a) Antihistamines
 - b) Tricyclic
3. Failure of enuresis alarm or other non-medication intervention
4. Member has normal blood pressure, no history of kidney problems, and is free of urinary infections

Risk Factor:

Water intoxication and hyponatremia, in extreme cases, can cause seizure which could lead to coma

Authorization:

A. Central Diabetes Insipidus-

One year

B. Primary Nocturnal Enuresis-

Six months

Additional six months-consideration of tapering medication to determine medication necessity

Medical Director _____

Date _____